

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

HONORING JULIE MCCLURE

HON. MIKE THOMPSON

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 3, 2018

Mr. THOMPSON of California. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor Julie McClure's advocacy for community and after-school programs, in particular her leadership at CalSERVES, and I join CaliforniaVolunteers in recognizing the important work she has done.

Ms. McClure is currently the Associate Superintendent at the Napa County Office of Education. For more than two decades, she has been a champion for the values AmeriCorps and national service can bring to a community. Ms. McClure has been essential to the success of AmeriCorps in California as a mentor to new programs and as a board member of Voices for California.

In 1998 Ms. McClure started the CalSERVES tutoring program, in partnership with CaliforniaVolunteers and the Corporation for National and Community Service. She launched CalSERVES so students at Napa County Office of Education schools would have tutoring support. CalSERVES has been a model for community and after school programming and is known for its innovative use of AmeriCorps resources. More than 4,600 members have served 6.7 million hours in the community due in no small part to Ms. McClure's efforts. In 2009 Ms. McClure started the CalSERVES Volunteer Infrastructure Program in order to expand CalSERVES' outreach and services. Currently, 60 AmeriCorps members provide programming in Napa and Sonoma County schools and 140 Corps members work on building volunteer capacity at other organizations throughout California.

In addition to her work with CalSERVES and AmeriCorps, Ms. McClure's advocacy work has included leading the California After School Demonstration Program and Healthy Behavior Learning Center.

Mr. Speaker, Julie McClure has been a key contributor to the AmeriCorps experience in California for the last two decades and a tireless advocate for public service. Therefore, it is fitting and proper that we honor her here today.

CONGRATULATING DR. PAUL
OLSEN ON HIS RETIREMENT

HON. CHERI BUSTOS

OF ILLINOIS

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Mrs. BUSTOS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Dr. Paul Olsen, who is retiring from Augustana College. Dr. Olsen has become a pillar in the Rock Island community, and he will be greatly missed.

Dr. Olsen has spent 50 plus years coaching cross country and track and field at Augustana

College. He has coached a total of 234 NCAA Division III All-American runners and, 26 times, these athletes have been crowned national champions. Dr. Olsen was inducted into the Illinois Track and Field Coaches Association "Hall of Fame" in 2004 and went into the Augustana "Tribe of Vikings Hall of Fame" in 2006. Dr. Olsen is a professor in the English Department at Augustana, and is one of the most popular teachers in the entire school.

It is because of dedicated and selfless leaders such as Dr. Paul Olsen that I am especially proud to serve Illinois' 17th Congressional District. Mr. Speaker, I would like to again formally congratulate Dr. Paul Olsen on his well-earned retirement, and thank him for all of his contributions and service to our community.

IN HONOR OF LUPUS AWARENESS
MONTH 2018

HON. ANN M. KUSTER

OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 3, 2018

Ms. KUSTER of New Hampshire. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Lupus Awareness Month. An autoimmune disease, Lupus impacts more than one million Americans and many in communities across our Granite State. Those living with Lupus often experience significant symptoms such as fatigue, cognitive issues and physical challenges.

While Lupus affects millions of individuals worldwide and there are 16,000 new diagnoses each year, two-thirds of Americans are unaware of it. Through Lupus Awareness Month each May, advocates will "Go purple for Lupus" with local and national events to encourage understanding, research and support of the disease. I will continue to champion and support public health efforts in Congress. I encourage my colleagues to honor individuals living with Lupus through annual awareness programming each May and throughout the year.

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF
SISTER KATHLEEN HEALY

HON. NANCY PELOSI

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 3, 2018

Ms. PELOSI. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to Sister Kathleen Healy, who passed away on April 21, 2018 at the Sisters of the Presentation Motherhouse in San Francisco. Sister Kathleen was a woman of great faith, and lived her faith by performing works of loving service to all of those in need. She was a great source of spiritual inspiration for me, my family and our community.

A native San Franciscan, Sister Kathleen was born into a loving Irish family who instilled

in her their strong Catholic Faith and commitment to social justice. As a Sister of the Presentation for seventy-five years, Sister Kathleen was a compassionate champion for immigrant rights, and a voice of conscience for alleviating poverty and suffering in our immigrant communities, particularly among those who are elderly and disabled.

Sister Kathleen was a founding member of The Lantern, a ministry project serving the immigrant community of San Francisco through hospitality, education and advocacy. In 1974, she began her ministry with Saint Teresa of Avila Catholic Church in San Francisco where she served for over 30 years. In 2006, working with Saint Anthony Foundation, she visited the poor in residential hotels in the Tenderloin and provided social services in the Dining Room, where my family and I volunteer every year during Thanksgiving.

In 1946, Sister Kathleen began 28 years as a Catholic school teacher in San Francisco, San Jose and Los Angeles, and served as principal at Saint Agnes School in San Francisco from 1962–1968.

Sister Kathleen served with Father Peter Sammon, Director of Family Life for the Archdiocese of San Francisco, from 1979 to 1983. During this time, she became one of the original organizers of the Sanctuary Movement, founding the San Francisco Organizing Project and joining several delegations to El Salvador and Guatemala to support their peoples' struggle for justice.

Sister Kathleen prepared for her ministry by earning a Bachelor's and a Master's Degree in Education through the University of San Francisco, a Master's Degree in Theology through Immaculate Heart College in Los Angeles, and a Doctorate in Ministry from the Jesuit School of Theology in Berkeley.

Sister Kathleen's life was a blessing. She was predeceased by her parents, William and Hanna Healy, and her devoted sisters, Sister Nancy Healy, Sister Doreen Healy, Sister Maryann Healy, and Mrs. Honora Lowe. She is survived by her beloved nieces, nephews, and cousins along with their families. May it be a comfort to her family and her loving Presentation Sisters that so many share in their grief at the loss of this remarkable saintly woman.

REMEMBERING JANICE CORBETT

HON. JOHN GARAMENDI

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, May 3, 2018

Mr. GARAMENDI. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the memory of Janice Corbett, a fixture of the UC Davis community who will truly be missed.

Janice was the living embodiment of Aggie Pride. She graduated from UC Davis in 1994, having been an active member of the campus community from the moment she arrived as a freshman. From serving on the Picnic Day Board and the Dean's Student Advisory Committee to working for the student government,

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